

P. C. Debaters Will Oppose N. E. Colleges

Cottam, McGuire, Kelley, Fournier, Davitt, Ethier to Represent P.C.

Six members of the Providence College Debating Union will take part in an intercollegiate debating tournament to be held here March 7 and 8 on the question "Resolved: That the Nations of the Western Hemisphere Should Form a Permanent Union."

The debaters are Charles Cottam, '43; Matthew H. Kelley, '43; Conrad Fournier, '44; John Davitt, '44; Francis J. Maguire, '42; Wilfred Ethier, '42.

Other colleges represented at the tournament are Amherst, Colby, University of Connecticut, University of Maine, Rhode Island College of Education, Rhode Island State College, St. Patrick's of Ottawa, Wesleyan University, and Williams.

Plans for the conference were drawn up by Matthew H. Kelley, '43, secretary of the Providence College Debating Union; and the Rev. A. P. Regan, O.P., faculty moderator. The formal opening of the conference will be at 1 p.m. Friday afternoon.

The debaters will be told just prior to the beginning of the conference what side they will defend that day. They will defend the alternate side on the next day. This method places emphasis on native speaking ability and a comprehensive knowledge of the subject on hand.

Each college will be represented by two teams, both of which will engage in six debates. The debates will be judged by prominent citizens of New England.

The tournament will begin Friday afternoon after a drawing of the opposition by lots. Some form of entertainment will be provided for the debaters on Friday evening.

The tournament will resume Saturday morning at 8:30 and will continue until noon. In the afternoon a banquet will be held, with the awarding of the trophies. There will be prizes for the first and second teams and medals for individual speakers.

The student body of Providence College is invited to attend these debates. A complete program, with the particular rooms to be used, will be published later.

Other Debates

The annual road trip has been planned for the last week of March. The Debating Team will meet the University of Connecticut, Wesleyan, St. Peter's, St. John's, John Marshall Law, and Manhattan.

Two P. C. Alumni Win Scholarships

Arthur L. Davis and William J. Thompson, both graduates of Providence College in the Class of 1940 now studying journalism at Columbia University, have been awarded scholarships for the Spring semester, it was announced this week.

Davis will share in the accumulation of an excess in the Pulitzer Prize Fund, an endowment established in memory of the late Joseph Pulitzer, eminent newspaper owner and publisher.

Thompson has been awarded one of seven Faculty Fund scholarships sponsored by the faculty of the Columbia School of Journalism. Both awards were based on general comprehension of the field of newspaper writing and libel law.

Selective Service

Students who have been registered in accordance with the Selective Service Act must report to the Registrar's office immediately to fill out a special card.

Students coming under the draft law must also report to the Registrar when their numbers are called, and should report any deferment or change in status.

Through this system it will be possible for drafted students to maintain a recognized status with the College.

Fr. O'Leary Gives Sermon

The distribution of ashes in the student chapel last Wednesday formally inaugurated the Lenten season at Providence College. At vesper services and benediction, a sermon was delivered by the Rev. L. M. O'Leary, O.P., a member of the Eastern Mission Band.

Masses during Lent will be conducted in the student chapel at Harkins Hall every morning at 7:00, 7:30, 8:00 a.m. and services on Wednesday afternoons at 5:30 p.m. The Rev. William A. Sullivan, O.P., will preach the sermon Wednesday.

Confessions will be heard until 8:10 a.m. every morning in the chapel and anytime on request. Students who come under the regulations of fast and abstinence and who have not yet secured a dispensation, may be granted one either by the chaplain or their confessor.

NEW REPORTERS

Four underclassmen have been added to the reportorial staff of The Cowl, it was announced yesterday by Louis Rosen, '42, editor.

They are Raymond Flynn, '43; Max Knickerbocker, '44; John Shiel, '44, and Edward Foley, '44.

George Morris, '42, a former member of The Cowl staff before he left college temporarily, was also added to the present Editorial staff.

Six Squads To Compete

The La Salle Club, the Philomusians, Taunton, Kent County, East Side, and Connecticut all survived the first week of play in the Providence College inter-club tournament.

The La Salle aggregation, led by George O'Reilly, tripped the Blackstone Club, 40 to 19, Tuesday afternoon and in the evening the Philomusians trounced the Campus Kids, 21 to 18.

On Wednesday Taunton trimmed Sam Kusnitz's Newports, 35 to 15, and Kent County had little difficulty in subduing Woonsocket, 35 to 5. In the two other games, contested yesterday, Connecticut with Ray Roy showing the way, humbled Mt. Pleasant. (Continued on Page 3)

"Don't Forget"

Saturday—7:30 p.m.—Basketball Game—Providence College vs. Rhode Island State. R. I. State Gym, Kingston, R. I.

Monday—12:30 p.m.—Choir Rehearsal for Friday's Mass. Room 4.

2:00 p.m.—Conditional Examinations begin.

Thursday—11:30 a.m.—Philosophy Club Meeting. Room 33.

Friday—9:00 a.m.—Feast of St. Thomas Aquinas. Mass and General Communion. Auditorium. No classes.

Cast Chosen For Pyramid Player Show

Francis Stadnicki, '43, Is Author of Seventh Annual Comedy

Roles for the forth-coming Musical Comedy "Uncle Tom's Cabana" sponsored by the Pyramid Players, college dramatic organization, were assigned yesterday following tryouts held during the past two weeks, it was announced by Thomas J. Farrell, '41, production manager.

Farrell also stated that April 30 and May 1, 2, 3, and 4 are definite dates for the production of the show.

The sale of tickets will begin in the second week of March according to Gerald O'Brien, '41, business manager.

Members of the cast selected include, Thomas McBrien, Charles McGovern, Patrick Brannon, Donald Cronin, Thomas Farrell, and Ira T. Williams, Jr., all seniors; Raymond Curry, Robert Dunn, Thomas Cahir and Joseph McLaughlin, juniors; Francis Stadnicki, and Fred Fay, sophomores, and Richard Danilowicz, and Patrick Tracey, freshmen.

With the script, written by Francis Stadnicki, '43, this year's show will be the seventh annual musical comedy sponsored by the Pyramid Players. The first was "Nancy", produced in 1925. It was not until eleven years later that the next musical appeared. It was "The Student Quints", in 1936, which was followed by "Soup and Fish" in 1937. In 1938 "Friar Away" was produced and in 1939 the show was "Ready, Aim, Friar". Last year the musical was entitled "He and Sheba".

Thomas Farrell, '41 is production manager, Gerald O'Brien, '41, is business manager and Kenneth Cayton, '42, is the musical director for the comedy.

Songs which will be definitely used in this year's show include, "You Cast Your Spell Over Me", "It Must Be You", "Yoo Hoo" and "My Name is Gaucho" by Ken Cayton; "My Story of Love" and "Conchita" by Edward Garrity, '41, and "I Live in a Dream World", by Charles Sommers, '43.

The Veritas Ready Apr. 20

The Veritas, College yearbook, will be ready for student distribution on April 20.

Members of the yearbook staff include Ira T. Williams, Jr., editor; Charles J. Dolan of Providence, Leo McNeerney of Providence and John Gibbons of Pawtucket, all seniors, associate editors; George Harley of Providence, business manager, and John Cronin of Battle Creek, Michigan, advertising manager.

Members of the literary staff include James E. Pettine, Charles McGovern, Charles E. Sweeney, Robert Smith, Charles Prendergast, Harold Rich, Francis X. McCarthy, Matthew Gallagher and Thomas Fallon, all seniors; Louis Rosen, Joseph McLaughlin and Ross Muenzen, juniors, and Charles Cottam of the sophomore class.

The advertising staff includes Bernard Nadeau, Theodore Alexacos, William Maher, Austin Conley, James Walsh, all seniors, and Thomas Gillfillan and Raymond Curry of the junior class.

Friar Court Squad Set To Stop Confident Rams

Official Notice

Conditional Examinations will be held next week beginning March 3rd. The list will be published on Friday. Examinations must be taken as listed.

Those who were absent from Final Examinations by reason of sickness must take their examinations at this time. They should apply at the Assistant Dean's Office for notes certifying their absence because of illness; these notes must be presented at the Registrar's Office where slips for each examination will be issued. Otherwise the regular fee will be charged.

Seniors should remember that this is the last opportunity for removing conditions before Cap and Gown Day.

P.C. Quintet is Accorded Chance of Upsetting Ambitious State

With the hope that "springs eternal in the human breast," the Fighting Friars of the basketball court invade Kingston tomorrow night fully intent on engineering the season's major upset when they trade strategy with the talent-laden Rams of Rhode Island State College. The contest, which is set for 8:30 o'clock, will be preceded by the Providence-State Freshmen tilt.

Accorded a much better chance of upsetting the Rams than when the two institutions last met in January, Providence is prepared to meet the onslaught of the two-point-a-minute Kingstonians. Only two aggregations have been able to top the Keaneymen this season, those clubs being Temple and the University of Connecticut. But despite the fact that the Rams' record is so impressive, the Friars, with their New York appearance as a criterion, are very much in the foreground as potential conquerors of the Rhodyites.

In the New York invasion, Providence surprised hoop enthusiasts of this sector with brilliant performances against St. Francis and St. John's. In both these tilts, the Friars, decided underdogs, came close to turning the tables.

State has rolled up an aggregate total of 1560 points in 21 games, or an average of almost 75 markers per contest. To this total the greatest contributors have been Stanley "Stutz" Modzelewski, who has 696, and Bud Conley, who has accounted for 358 credits. All of the State starters, with the exception of Guard Warner Keaney, have exceeded the 100-point mark.

Modzelewski at center, Conley and Bill Rutledge at the forwards, and Keaney and Bob Applebee in the backcourt are the Rhode Island starters for tomorrow night's contest.

Coach Ed Crotty has been shifting his lineup for the coming test in order to bring the squad to its peak of efficiency. The Providence mentor has moved big Horace Marone, who has been working at guard in recent games, to a forward berth, where his accurate shooting together with his ability to compete with State's Warner Keaney for dominance under the boards, will be of great help to Providence. Coach Crotty is undecided on his starting five, but he said that he will have to use his full squad because of the torrid pace that the Rams set.

ALEMbic

The first issue of the Alembic, student quarterly, will appear Friday, March 7, it was announced yesterday by Matthew P. Gallagher, '41, editor of the publication.

The issue will include "Children of the Sun", an allegory by Charles E. Sweeney, '41; "Beethoven", an essay by Matthew P. Gallagher, '41; "Records and Recked Tunes", a new column by Joseph A. Conway, '43; and articles by John Sharkey, '43; John Greene, '43; Harold Rich, '41; and Ira T. Williams, Jr., '41.

NEW SYSTEM

On April 17 the Debating Team will take a 3-day trip to northern New England to meet Colby and the University of Maine. This trip will be of special interest for a new system of debate, advocated by the University of Maine, is to be used. The main features of this plan are: three man team, ten minute constructive speeches, and team Captains who have the power to interrupt speeches and to ask questions.

CAA Students Ready to Train

Ten Providence College students will begin their ground school training and flight fundamentals at the Hills Grove Airport under the supervision of an instructor for the Allen Airways beginning Sunday, March 2.

The applicants whose contracts have been approved are James J. Monahan, '43, Daniel H. Dennis, '43, Patrick N. Doyle, '43, H. Kenneth McGovern, '41, John V. Curran, '41, Leary V. Marcotte, '43, John T. Kelley, '43, Willard C. McNally, '41, Augustas F. Marcella, '43 and Ed. J. McLaughlin, '41.

After undergoing intensive ground courses that include Meteorology, Navigation and Civil Air Regulations they will receive 50 hours of primary flight training.

Those who successfully complete this course will be awarded their pilot's license and emblematic wings.

French Club Hears Letter

The reading of a letter from a French youth who was under arms during the early months of the war was featured at the regular semi-monthly meeting of La Pleiade, French Club, yesterday.

The letter, received by Michael O. Jenkins, '41, from a friend depicted some of the scenes which occurred during the war. The youth, a former school companion of Jenkins relates how he was almost taken prisoner, how he became sick of the very few furloughs granted, and especially of the German bombardments and machine gun fire.

The writer said that for the sake of Americans he "does not hope that we ever have war" for he declares that "campaign life is terrible, with nothing to eat, no time to sleep, and many forced marches." But he adds: "One gets used to it, and we are of the opinion that a good time exists for there is in the field, a great spirit of comradeship."

The meeting continued with the reading of other excerpts from current French newspapers and magazines.

Participating in the reading were Valmore Collette, '41, Benoit Hazebrouck, '43; Joseph Pariseau, '41; Jean G. Myette, '41; Thomas McDonald, '42.

Robert L. Smith, '41, president, conducted the meeting, and announced plans for the next assembly to be held March 13.

COLLEGE WEEK

Following a precedent set at Weston College last year, members of the New England Intercollegiate Union for Catholic Action made plans to attend the celebration of a Mass according to the Eastern rite at Boston College on March 22. The entire Mass is said in the Arabic tongue instead of the usual Latin, and the communicants will receive the Sacramental Species under the form of both bread and wine instead of the Host of the Roman rite. Last year's ceremony, The Heights reports, was exceedingly impressive.

The University of Connecticut began preparations for the installation of approximately 500 dial telephones on the campus. The \$7800 project, part of a \$90,000 expansion program of the Southern New England Telephone Company, will involve seven tons of equipment and will be put in operation in April.

Students of U.C.L.A. staged a monster demonstration against the ASCAP-BMI controversy in which they tossed radios from dormitory windows. Two truckloads were carted to the athletic field where they were burned along with an effigy of "Jeannie With the Light Brown Hair."

The Varsity News of the University of Detroit reports that tickets for the Junior Prom, which will feature the music of Reggie Childs and Eddie DeLange, are "harder to find than putty in a plumber's work kit."

Attempting to exhort attendance at a dance sponsored by the Holy Cross Glee Club and Philharmonic Society, The Tomahawk, Crusader weekly, carried a headline: "Greetings, Gate, Terpsichoreate."

Boston, Mass. — (ACP) — Simmons college will offer a degree program in library science in summer courses, beginning this year.

This is the first time that courses equivalent to the regular one-year professional curriculum in librarianship have been made available in New England through summer session study.

South Bend, Ind. — (ACP) — The University of Notre Dame graduate school, listing 143 students from five countries, has this semester the largest enrollment of students since the school's beginning.

The enrollment has tripled in the last five years, and the school now offers the master's degree in 16 departments and the doctor's degree in seven.

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SCHEDULE OF CONDITIONAL EXAMINATIONS

N.B. All examinations will be held in Room 35.

Monday, March 3

2:00 to 4:00

Philosophy 401; English 201; English 203; Latin 102; Latin 104; English 402; Philosophy 304; Biology 201.

4:00 to 6:00

Philosophy 301; Philosophy 302; English 101.

Tuesday, March 4

2:00 to 4:00

Sociology 301; Philosophy 201; Philosophy 202; Mathematics 103; Education 102.

4:00 to 6:00

Philosophy 303; Biology 101; Mathematics 101; Chemistry 201; Physics 402; 302; Drawing 101; Political Science 103.

Wednesday, March 5

2:00 to 4:00

Physics 201; Economics 201; Business 302; Mathematics 102; Biology 102.

4:00 to 6:00

English 112; English 328; English 326; English 412; Business 303; History 103 104; Physics 101; Business 201.

Thursday, March 6

2:00 to 4:00

Political Science 402; Chemistry 401; 402; Political Science 304; EL. Greek; Greek 101, 102.

4:00 to 6:00

French 301, 201, 102, 101; German 102, 101; Spanish 102, 101; Business 304.

Monday, March 10

2:00 to 4:00

History 304, 306; History 101; Business 301; Chemistry 301, 101; Mathematics 105.

Tuesday, March 11

2:00 to 4:00

Oratory 401—Room 35.
Oratory 301—Old Auditorium.
Oratory 201—Room 38.
Oratory 101—Room 33.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Permits for these examinations MUST BE PROCURED AT THE OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR.

Fees:
\$2.00, if taken on first day assigned;
\$5.00, if taken on other than first day assigned.

ATHLETIC SHORTS

TED ALEXAKOS

Now that Lent is here, the "first nighters" are obliged to give up their nightly escapades, their weekly excursions, and in general, their social life will be very much on the decline.

However, there will be one consolation, and that will be the annual rollicking freshmen's holiday, the Frosh Hop. This will afford an excellent opportunity for those who have not attended any of the college affairs. The year is rapidly drawing to a close and, unfortunate is he that hasn't yet attended (could there be such a morbid individual?).

Coach Crotty's five made an impressive visit to Springfield last Saturday afternoon. Their hosts had to be satisfied with the short end of the score. The Friars displayed magnificent teamwork and came from behind to win, duplicating their previous victory over the Indians. This victorious streak was continued when the "Black and White" quintet traveled to north of Boston to meet "Rusty" Yarnell's proteges from Lowell Textile.

The Fighting Friars are going to Kingston this weekend to take on the high-riding Rams. A victory for Providence will assure them of at least a tie for the state title. This can easily be realized with a little moral support from the student body. Get on the bandwagon and ride to victory with the Crottytymen.

Briefs

Does anyone know what caused Joe Pliska's shiner? . . . Tiny Millen held the limelight with a certain cigarette girl in a distant nighterie . . . "Coach" Roth was also a loss for words at that same spot . . . latest talk around the athletic circles is spring practice . . . latest talk around the social circles is the Junior Prom . . . predictions are in order, and ours is with a feast for the Friars . . . menu . . . Ram . . . yum yum . . . on one condition, of course, that the team is properly supported by the student body . . . don't say you weren't informed . . . what has caused Bob "Buddy" Rielly to become a misogynist so suddenly . . . Tony Ditri is proud of his new nickname, it's "Bunny" . . . Leto Dedalt has his eyes focused on Argentina . . . maybe it's the Latin in him . . . Larry Simmonds (dance director for the musical comedy) has Devore's huskies conga conscious . . . Lou Cimine riding high at the Mardi Gras . . . Sam Kusnitz is the best bet for individual honors tomorrow night . . . watch him . . . "Red" Rafferty is becoming quite a man-about-town . . . Chester Zabek and "Reggie" certainly are a handsome couple . . . Joe Sullivan's by line is "Me and Marie".

COLLEGE CAPERS



Mexican Policy Interests U. S.

In the United States, says the Manitou Messenger at St. Olaf college, an egg thrown at a presidential candidate rates the headlines in all newspapers. In Mexico the incident probably would have been dismissed immediately because of the thrower's inaccuracy.

Which is by way of introducing a collegiate discussion of United States relations with the neighbor to the south. With few exceptions, the view of undergraduate editorialists is skeptical, resembling in tone the recent observation of the Daily Nebraskan: "Mexico, long suspected of being a hotbed of fascist sentiment and fifth column activity, evidences WHAT SEEMS TO BE a sincere desire to rid herself of anti-American elements. AT LEAST OFFICIAL MEXICO ANNOUNCES SUCH A POLICY." The Mexican declaration of fact and policy is heartening. A large country, and one so close to our own, Mexico would be a powder-horn of revolt against western world peace if its government became intimidated to fascist influence."

Another midwestern publication, the Daily Kansan, is similarly far from convinced. "Mexican politics being what they are," observes the Kansan, "it is somewhat difficult to swallow the recent explanation by President Cardenas that refusal to grant concessions to the Japanese was based on 'continental solidarity'."

"Many veteran observers," the Daily Iowan joins in, "recall with no pleasure a Mexican action which foreclosed on property held by American oil companies in Mexico." It would be well, for the furtherance of good relations, says the Iowan, "to establish some kind of solidarity on this score, preferably a just one for the oil companies."

More willing to accept Mexico's declaration of good faith is the Indiana Daily Student, which feels that Mexico has "answered her critics in a way to stifle even the most bitter. Her action is a commendable example of attempts by South and Central American countries to mold the Western Hemisphere into a 'united front' against all interlopers."

A Michigan Daily writer notes that "the United States is making strained efforts to treat Mexico with the same respect accorded Canada. Now plans are being made for an elaborate defense 'understanding.' Reports indicate the United States intends giving Mexico funds for improvement of naval bases which could be used as stations for United States ships; that Mexican air bases might be enlarged and made available for United States planes defending the Canal Zone and the Gulf of Mexico. Included in the proposed plan are possible transfer of four United States destroyers to Mexico, mechanization of the Mexican army with United States financial aid, and exchange of naval, air and army officers."

"Why the United States should transfer four destroyers to Mexico instead of using them itself to patrol Mexican waters is not clear. It is obvious who will profit by the exchange of officers. And the United States should think several times before mechanizing the army of a country whose immediate history is saturated with blood violently shed. In fact,

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Next regular session will start the first week in July 1941.

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Any doubt of the revival of interest in the work of the Association were certainly dispelled last weekend when a large turnout of alumni made the annual Ball one of the most colorful social events of recent years, and when representative gathering met two days later to conduct a successful annual business meeting.

Members of the alumni who have not been in attendance at many of the affairs of recent years were noted in the gathering which crowded the Biltmore ballroom, and the expression of all was that the event was most successful. Among the guests were Governor J. Howard McGrath, '26, and Mrs. McGrath, Secretary of State Armand Cote and Mrs. Cote, and Attorney-General Nolan, and Mrs. Nolan.

Report of Business Meeting

The final reports of Committees of affairs conducted by the Association since last May showed that each event had been well attended, and that each had been held at no financial loss to the Association. The treasurer reported a bank balance sufficient to take care of immediate expenses, but the need for additional funds to carry forward the alumni program emphasizes the importance of the payment of annual dues by members.

Dr. Francis A. Holland, '25, reported that the Flynn Memorial Fund Committee had approved on one plan for the disposition of part of the fund already collected, but in as much as the adoption of this plan would be contingent upon the approval of the President of the College no definite statement could be made at this time. Reverend Daniel M. Galliher, O.P., moderator of the Association for many years, addressed the members present at the annual meeting and announced his intention of resigning from the post of moderator.

No report was presented from the Athletic Advisory Committee of which Charles F. Reynolds, '26, was the chairman.

President John E. Farrell, '26, reported at length on the program initiated under the direction of the Board of Governors, and outlined the work already carried forward. He stated that the plan for the raising of a fund for a fence to enclose the College campus had been postponed for the present, and that the Board of Governors had centered its work towards a strengthening of the fraternity of the membership. The arrangement for the publication of alumni news in the Cowl, and for the printing of the Alumni Bulletin for

general distribution was related, and the plans for the homecoming football and basketball games, and for the annual communion breakfast and annual alumni day were also explained.

New Constitution and By-Laws

The outstanding advance towards a better organization of the Alumni which was effected at the annual meeting was the adoption of a revised Constitution and a set of By-Laws. For years the Constitution has been the subject of bitter controversy, and sharp debate and its wordings has disrupted many annual sessions. The Board of Governors, after study and consideration, submitted a proposed amended Constitution and a set of By-Laws to the entire membership, and invited comments on the work. A consolidation of all suggestions resulted in many worthwhile alterations in the form as printed in the winter issue of the Alumni Bulletin, and the final draft was adopted by an overwhelming vote at the meeting on February 23. It is hoped that the new regulations may be sent to each member at some future date, and that the future Association meetings may proceed with discussions of matters of more importance to the membership and to the College.

The major changes effected, in addition to the rearrangement and clarification of all regulations, provide that the office of treasurer shall be distinct from that of secretary, that the office of Moderator be changed to that of Faculty Member on the Board of Governors (thereby providing for full Faculty representation with votive powers on all business matters of the Association), that each territorial club shall nominate a candidate for the Board of Governors

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INTRAMURALS

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ant, 43 to 16, and the East Siders defeated Elmhurst.

The Elmhursts have entered a protest on their encounter with the East Siders on the grounds that the latter used an "ineligible performer."

The summaries:

La Salle			Blackstone Valley		
	G	F P		G	F P
Rylander, f	3	0 6	Bachand, f	0	0 0
Politt, f	4	0 8	Farland, f	5	1 11
Wilkins	1	0 2	Doyle	2	0 4
O'Reilly, c	6	3 15	Collette, c	0	0 0
Donelly, g	1	1 3	Louthis, g	0	0 0
Coyle, g	3	0 6	Bell, g	1	2 4
Totals	18	4 40	Totals	8	3 19

Philomusians			Campus Kids				
	G	F	P		G	F	P
Brown,f	3	0	6	Avery,f	0	1	0
Murphy	0	0	0	Cusano,f	0	0	0
Plamondon,f	1	0	2	McCarthy	4	0	8
Mullaney	0	0	0	Connelly,c	4	1	9
Jurasko,c	3	2	8	Barbarito,g	0	0	0
Wilson,g	1	0	2	Ardolino,g	0	0	0
Fallon,g	1	0	2	Smith	0	0	0
Buckley	0	1	1				
Totals	9	3	21	Totals	8	2	17

Taunton			Newport		
	G	F P		G	F P
Quegan,f ...	4	0 8	McSparrow,f.	1	0 2
O'Connell,f. 2	0	4	McGovern,f.	0	0 0
Haponik, c ...	2	4 8	Slom,	1	0 2
Hahan,c ...	5	0 10	Sullivan,c... ..	3	0 6
Carter,g ...	2	0 4	Turillo,g	1	0 2
Scanlon,g ...	0	1 1	McLeer,g	1	1 3
Totals ...	15	5 35	Totals	7	1 15

Kent County			Woonsocket				
	G	F	P		G	F	P
Carcieri, f.	6	0	12	Hazebrouch, f.	0	1	0
Laferriere, f.	1	1	3	McCoey, f.	1	0	2
Les Prenc	2	0	4	LaRoache	0	0	0
Ney	2	0	4	Ward, c.	0	1	1
Discoll, c.	0	0	0	Kelly	0	1	1
Cross, g.	1	0	2	Curran, g.	0	0	0
Crause, g.	0	0	0	Dunn, g.	0	0	0
				McMurtry	0	0	0
Totals	12	1	25	Totals	1	3	5

Connecticut				Mt. Pleasant			
	G	F	P		G	F	P
DaDalt,f ...	2	0	4	McGrath,f ...	5	0	1
Yockers,f ...	2	0	4	Brownell,f ...	1	2	4
Clifford,c ...	7	0	14	Bracq,c ...	0	0	0
Roy,g 6	3	15		Pendergast,g	0	0	0
Roth,g 2	0	4		Mulligan,g...	1	0	2
Avery 1	0	2		Del Guidice...	0	0	0
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Totals	20	3	43	Totals	7	2	16

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By HAROLD RICH

HOOP REFEREES WON'T HOLD PUBLIC OFFICE

Birth and death, the philosophers will assure you, are the only things that man can be absolutely sure of on this earth. But the thinkers have erred slightly in that they have not exhausted the possibilities of certainties. They forgot to add that no basketball referee will ever hold public office. So long as the vote is in the hands of the people, no hoop arbiter will win an election for public office. The refs just aren't popular. They can make more enemies in one night than you and you and you can make throughout your collective lives.

The lot of any sports official is a none-too-happy one, but that of a basketball arbiter is really pathetic. The causes are quite apparent. First, a hoop official is called upon to make more judgments per second than an official in any other sport. And since the human being is not flawless—that is why they have erasers on pencils, one of my elementary school teachers told me—the greater number of cases to consider usually makes for more errors than would result in games in which the action is slower. Secondly, basketball is a comparatively easy game to understand and consequently most fans have a good knowledge of the rules. They usually see everything that goes on because of their proximity to the scene of action and they are always watching for rules infractions which the arbiters might fail to see. They consider themselves on a par with the officials as hoop judges and voice their disapproval of almost every decision rendered.

"OH, YOU ROBBER"

All of you hoop enthusiasts have heard the familiar taunts: "Oh, you robber"; "Jesse James had a gun, where's yours?" "How much are they payin' you?" "Put your cheaters on"; "Don't worry, Bud, you won't get in the draft, you can't see." And the arbiter keeps at his task, hoping that he will have to be escorted from the scene by a crew of strapping gendarmes.

It is really unfortunate that the refs are treated in such a manner, for they are clean-living, conscientious men, versatile and intelligent. Some of them are capable of staging a show that can match anything you have ever seen in vaudeville. Or, haven't you ever seen Madison Square Garden's Pat Kennedy, whose antics are known the country over?

MENTAL TELEPATHY ON THE COURT

Recently these actor-officials have been pressed for honors by a group of arbiters whom we might call the "mental telepathists." These men, who are blessed with the ability to read the players' minds, call fouls on the hoopsters even before any rules infractions occur. We first learned of the existence of such unique individuals when Providence College engaged Becker at Worcester one night last week. The official we have in mind used Horace Marone, Providence center, as his subject. Marone, on the defensive, had his arms outstretched in an attempt to block a Beckerite's floor goal

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Hoopsters Win Three Games With Accent On Teamwork

With an accent on teamwork, the Providence College basketball forces ran up three straight victories during the past week as they averaged 54 points a game. The three victims of the Friars were Springfield, 53-45; Lowell Textile, 51-36; and Assumption College of Worcester, 59-30.

Competing against a Springfield College quintet that had extended the competent Rhode Island State five in a rousing battle at Kingston, the Friars demonstrated their ability to collect themselves when the going was toughest as they outlasted the Gymnasts in an exciting tussle last Saturday at Springfield. Johnny Lee captured individual scoring honors but the all-around play of Horace Marone and Sam Kusnitz contributed immeasurably to the Providence cause. This is the first time in seven years that the locals have scored two triumphs over Springfield in a single season.

Although handicapped by a narrow gym and perplexing backboards, the Friars amassed a total of 51 points as they easily disposed of Lowell Tex-

tile on the latter's court, Monday night. Attesting to the capable manner in which the Providence defense functioned during the first half is the fact that the Textilers were held scoreless for the second portion of the period.

On Wednesday night the Friars defeated the Greyhounds of Assumption College for the second time this season as they ran up their highest total of the campaign. Had they been pressed more closely the Crottymen's scoring might have soared to higher proportions. Chet Zabek, Johnny Lee, and Sam Kusnitz paced the Friar scoring.

Dr. Julian F. Smith, translator for Hooker Scientific library, Central College, is master of 13 foreign languages two of which, Rumanian and Polish, he learned in a month.

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ALUMNI NEWS

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and that from such nominations three members shall be elected by the Governors, that the alumni athletic advisory committee be abolished, and that only members who have paid their dues shall be eligible to hold any offices of the association or exercise any of the rights and privileges of membership.

Committee Chairmen Appointed

Charles E. Shea, '32, of Pawtucket, was named by President Farrell as chairman of the general committee which will plan for the annual communion breakfast, and Hugh P. Maguire, '31, appointed as head of the committee for the observance of Alumni Day in June. The annual communion breakfast and memorial mass for deceased alumni will be held on Sunday, May 18, and the Alumni day reunion on Tuesday, June 10.

CAA Exams Are Best Yet

(By Associated Collegiate Press)

"It would be bad," quips the Daily Texan, "if some of these CAA boys flunked a test, especially at 10,000 feet." In more serious vein, there's a deal of pro-and-conning these days on American campuses about the merits of the federal government's flight training program for college students. Some editors have voiced flat opposition, others go "all out" in their praise.

The Tulane Hullabaloo does neither, but it raises some pertinent questions: "Are the institutions of higher learning serving their broad purposes in following the narrow aims of this enterprise? Or should they protect their supporters from such exploitation? And are they making their best contribution to peace by becoming cogs in the program to prepare youth for war?" Similar questions are raised by the Lenoir Rhynean at Lenoir Rhyne college.

Charging "they call it the CIVIL aeronautics authority, but they mean MILITARY aeronautics authority," the Daily Northwestern advises undergraduates as follows: "We neither recommend that you sign up for the program nor that you shun it absolutely. We ask you only to recognize that you are, in effect, signing up for training in the military air force of the nation. Be under no delusion that this is simply an easy and cheap way to learn to fly with no strings attached. It isn't."

It would appear from an Associated Collegiate Press survey that the pros outnumber the cons. Here are typical arguments of the former:

Cornell Daily Sun: "Actually the CAA is not concerned with developing military pilots. It is training thousands of civilians who some day may want to own their own planes, or fly just for the pleasure and convenience of it. It is very likely that never again will students have an opportunity to learn to fly under such ideal conditions."

Michigan State News: "Turning out of crack pilots may have been the original purpose of the CAA courses. But it is in the sideline of arousing public interest that the program is really going to click. Enormous strengthening of the country's aerial defense is vital. Public understanding of the aims and realization of the needs for such a move will remove the biggest stumbling block that defense heads might encounter. CAA flying schools are already supplying much of that understanding and realization."

The Aquinas, University of Scranton feels "that the benefits are obvious. For \$25 the student is given training valued at well over \$400. Fear that students would be edged into the army after completion of the course has been shown to be false by experience of the students who are now licensed pilots."

The Kentucky Kernel: "CAA is perhaps the best method available for building a sound foundation for the army's air arm. There certainly is no

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attempt. No contact was made, but the referee ruled that the Friar pivotman had committed a rules infraction. When queried by Marone as to the reason for the foul, the arbiter answered: "You were going to foul him." If that isn't mental telepathy, the entire fraternity of hoop officials can have coffee and on us.

So, friends, if you happen to see a foul called despite the fact that there was no rules infraction, don't condemn the official. On the contrary, you should laud him, for he is unique in the kingdom of Homo Sapiens. He is a mental telepathist. Yes, the time isn't too remote when the boys will not always have to play ball to determine superiority, for the refs will be able to call the outcome beforehand by simply reading the players minds and determining what frame of mind the performers are in.

FRIARS AND RAMS COME TOGETHER AGAIN

Speaking of psychology, we can not help but recall the dismal showing of the Providence College basketball team when they met Rhode Island State College last January. It was the frame of mind in which the Crottymen were that caused them to turn in the worst exhibition of the campaign. The Providence boys took too much note of the publicity on the "invincible" Rams and the psychological effect it had on them wasn't what could be termed "favorable."

Tomorrow night the Providences and the Kingstons come to grips in their second engagement of the season. This time the Friars are not taking notice of the newspaper clippings on the Rams—that is all the clippings except those which deal with Rhody's games against Temple and the University of Connecticut. In the latter two contests the Keaneymen lost their invincibility. It is true that Providence, according to the form charts, can not be mentioned in the same breath with Temple and the Ucons, but if you would like to know how good are their chances of upsetting the Rams, ask the boys of St. John's and St. Francis', two of the better quintets in the East who had to go "all out" to subdue the Friars. Providence has improved greatly since its last meeting with State and above all the boys are going into the fray in a good frame of mind. They've taken that I-can-beat-you attitude.

the other name bands appearing at the "swing haven".

Blue Notes

Ken Cayton

"The most frightening act in Motion Pictures in 1940" was the title given the Andrew sisters by the puckish Harvard Lampoon. After being informed of this little innuendo the Sisters calmly replied, "Just let us sing together at the Harvard prom . . . we'll scare those guys to death."

Harry James is mulling over a new idea on the Artie Shaw plan . . . He is seriously thinking of augmenting his band with violins. The effects produced will be something which he calls "Walk Rhythm".

Another ex-band leader with an itch to trot the boards again is Frank Dailey, the proprietor of the very popular Meadowbrook . . . Plans are being formulated for a new outfit which will probably alternate with

method more democratic than that of CAA. With aviation apparently destined to play so large a role in the world's future, it is essential that some agency assume the responsibility of training youth for that future. And since aviation necessarily demands intelligence, and since intelligent youth are most highly concentrated on the campuses of the nation, it seems only just that the universities take the lead in schooling future pilots."

Those who vociferously declaim swing and brand it as a musical degenerate should think twice before they speak. Some of their favorite artists are devotees of "hep-hep" music. For example, Leopold Stokowski is a Duke Ellington fan . . . has a large collection of his records. Igor Stravinski often visits the Harlem night spots to hear the colored boys "give".

The Columbia and Victor record companies are both issuing new Hal Kemp albums containing the best recordings cut by the late maestro's orchestra. These should be a boon to any record library . . . Incidentally, the Kemp band is now disbanded and the boys are out foraging for new jobs.

The expression, "You can't take it with you", must have rung in the ears of Count Basie as he crossed the Canadian border into the U. S. after completing a successful engagement at the Palais Royal in Toronto. He and the band were stopped at the border by officials who relieved them of their earnings, which amounted to a tidy sum. The reason given was that the money must remain in Canada until a suitable time for transfer.

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